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RICHARD B. FOX

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With Dual Mode Transportation System

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SUBMITTED
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Applicant submits herewith patents and publications which may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56. While this Statement may be "material" pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, it is not intended to constitute an admission that any patent, publication, or other information referred to therein is "prior art" for this invention unless specifically designated as such.

Enclosed herewith are PTO/SB/8A and PTO/SB/8B forms listing art potentially relevant or of interest to the referenced patent application. This application is a continuation-in-part of Application No. 09/865,088, filed May 24, 2001, under 35 U.S.C. § 120. It is understood that the Examiner will consider information that was submitted to or cited by the Office in such prior applications. Notice of April 20, 1992; 1138 OG 37-41, at 37. Copies of documents previously submitted to or cited by the Office in the prior application are not required to be provided in this application and thus are not attached. 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d). Any additional art not previously

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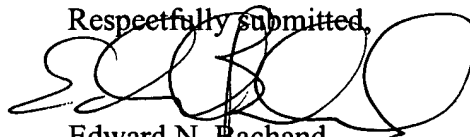
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Respectfully submitted,

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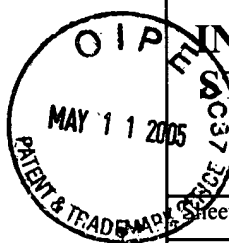
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